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JAPAN READY TO PROTEST NOVEMBER VOTE

Action By California Will Be Denounced As Breach of Faith

CIVIL ACTION CONTEMPLATED

Proposed Appointment of Commission Has Been Abandoned

HONOLULU, Sept. 23.—Choppy waters from Tokyo to the Nippon-Japan Japanese-language newspaper here, regarding anti-Japanese legislation in California report that the diplomatic council has decided that Japan will instruct Ambassador Shibusawa to register vigorous protest if California passes the Japanese land laws on which there will be a referendum in November. The American Ambassador's protest will be based on the ground that it is a violation of constitutional and a violation of Japan's treaty rights. It was said that Japan's original plan, according to the advice, was to instruct the United States to appoint members to an American-Japanese commission which would effect a settlement of the Japanese problem in California in word with American and Japanese legislation. This plan was abandoned because it was believed that it was too difficult for it to achieve any results.

The popular belief in Japan is that the anti-Japanese legislation in California will pass by a vote of one vote according to the advice.

May Bring Lawsuit

TOKYO, Sept. 23.—(By the Associated Press)—The Washington government will be asked to appoint a commission to effect a solution of the American-Japanese problems in California. On account of the passage of the California anti-Japanese legislation, the Japanese government, after consulting with the cabinet, has decided to take the initiative in the matter. The Japanese-American problem created a surprise at the state department, where efforts to effect an understanding by diplomatic means are still being made.

It was stated today that no official information had been received indicating that the Japanese had decided to take the initiative in the hands of its ambassador, Kiharu Shibusawa.

The conversations now under way between the Japanese ambassador on the one hand, and department officials and Roland S. Morris, American ambassador to Japan, on the other, and the Japanese cabinet, in view of the fact that the legislation adopted an agreement with the Japanese government on the result of it might be obtained in two ways, one by a treaty modifying action taken by state, or by action in the United States courts.

To invoke the first method is safe to the interest of the plan of the state department. The second method is believed to have been suggested in the conversations and may have been the basis of the reported decision of the Japanese government to resort to the courts to determine the constitutionality of such legislation.

SOUTHWEST RAIL HEARING IS HELD

Charges Discrimination In Passenger Rates, Three States

LOS ANGELES, Sept. 23.—Efforts to show that railroad passenger rates in Arizona, New Mexico and Nevada, and the West, are discriminatory as compared with transcontinental rates to California and Northwestern states, were made here today at a hearing before H. C. Keene of the Washington, D. C., examiner of the Interstate Commerce Commission. The hearing was on a complaint filed with the commission by the Atchison corporation, in which nine railroad companies were joined as defendants. The railroad commissions of Nevada and New Mexico were represented at the hearing.

It was alleged in the complaint that rates from Kansas City, Mo., and St. Louis to Arizona, New Mexico and Nevada are practically the same as to Los Angeles. F. A. Jones of the Arizona corporation commission also declared that rates from Missouri river points to Northwestern states average about 3 cents a mile, and to Arizona, New Mexico and Nevada a mile.

Chief Librarian, chief clerk of the traffic department of the San Joaquin, testified that the rates to the non-complaint states were held up to the city of Memphis, traffic conditions and operating costs. He said he could not state whether the present rates marked the highest point at which they could be established without restricting travel.

EXCLUSION LEAGUE APPEALS TO STATES OF SOUTHWEST

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 23.—The executive committee of the Japanese Exclusion League of California decided today to make its first step in carrying the fight against Japanese immigration outside of California an appeal to the states of the Southwest, an organization of governors and other officials of Southwestern states. The League will be called to call a meeting to discuss the question with representatives of the California organization.

A resolution was adopted declaring negotiations started by the Japanese ambassador at Washington indicated an attempt to discourage the anti-Japanese landlocking measure to be voted on at the November election in California by inference that the question in this state was to be solved through treaty right only.

MILLERAND IS FRENCH HEAD

New President Succeeds Deschanel; Vote 695 Out of 892

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Gustave Delory (socialist), deputy from Lille, department du Nord, 61. Scattering, 29.

Blanc, 10.

At 4:57 o'clock M. Millerand was proclaimed as the new president of France by the National assembly in session here. His successor Paul Deschanel, who resigned because of ill health, was injured by a falling brick wall, but at the emergency hospital it was said his hurts were not serious.

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PACKING PLANT IN SACRAMENTO IS RAIZED BY FIRE

Blaze Causes \$1,500,000 Damage to Plant

200 Women Escape; Fireman Injured By Falling Wall

SACRAMENTO, Sept. 23.—A warehouse of the California Packing Corporation in the river front district of Sacramento was destroyed by fire late today. Company officials estimated the loss in the neighborhood of \$1,500,000. Plant Superintendent C. L. Morris said, however, that exact figures would not be known until reports in the main office in San Francisco were checked.

The corporation had in storage here about 200 cases of canned goods.

Two hundred women working in the cannery adjoining the warehouse walked to safety without signs of panic when the fire started. J. Sterner, a fireman, was injured by a falling brick wall, but at the emergency hospital it was said his hurts were not serious.

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The fire, which began at 4:30 p.m.,

spreading out of the rooms which

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and Japanese workers, was

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FIND BODY OF MURDER VICTIM

URGES HIGHER RATE INDUSTRIAL DEATHS

Declares Present Precautions Not Sufficient For Protection

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If it "cost more to kill a man," Mr. Phillips said, there would be fewer deaths falling in the shipyards, fewer injured and less "blaming on providence." Under present conditions, according to Mr. Phillips, many industries are spending so much that safety at workman is impossible.

The loss is the state of an industrial worker, he said, is \$26,332 in being deprived of his productive capacity.

Officers were to be elected tonight and a banquet held following adjournment of the convention delegates were to visit Mr. Taft's palace tomorrow.

COMMITTEE ON IRISH NAMED

Johnson and Phelan on Body to Probe Question

NEW YORK, Sept. 23.—Gawald Garrison Villard announced today that the selection of the membership of the committee of one hundred on Ireland, formed by invitation of the Nation for the purpose of investigating and reporting publicly upon conditions in Ireland, with especial reference to arbitration has been completed.

The hearings are to be held in Washington next week, and five members of the committee, the personnel of this commission, have not been named. Five United States Senators—Johnson and Phelan of California, Spencer of Missouri, Austin of Arizona and Walsh of Massachusetts, as well as four governors—Edwards of New Jersey, Carey of Wyoming, Hazler of North Dakota and Campbell of Arizona, have accepted places on the committee, which is to be organized by Oct. 1, the date of its first meeting.

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ATTACKS DRY OFFICERS, EAST

Alcohol Congress Scene of Charges on Enforcement

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Letters found in a small apartment he had reserved for his own use while leasing the remainder of the residence, drew the attention of the police, who found the name of the owner of the house, whose name was not made public, marking his location and questioning a private detective who found the body also declared he had evidence that Denton had had a serious quarrel with a woman shortly before his disappearance, Aug. 13 last.

According to the officers, the three women for whom search was begun were intimate friends of the dead man and visited him frequently, and one of the trio, it was believed, had grown fixated upon Denton as a possible suitor.

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CATHOLICS TO ERECT \$5,000,000 SHRINE

WASHINGTON, Sept. 23.—The foundation stone of the new \$5,000,000 Shrine of the Immaculate Conception, which is being erected on the Catholic University grounds here and which is to be dedicated to the memory of the soldiers and sailors who lost their lives in the world war, was laid today by Cardinal Gibbons of Baltimore, assisted by Cardinal O'Connor of Boston.

Attending the ceremony were most of the archbishops of the Catholic church in the United States, hundreds of priests, superiors of many religious orders and prominent men, as well as government officials and the diplomatic representatives of foreign nations.

Bishop Shanahan, rector of the Catholic University, and Bishop John P. McNicholas of Duluth delivered the addresses.

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NAVY TO BATTLE OFF SAN PEDRO

Sept. 30 Set For Big Maneuvers; All Sections to Engage

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SAMUEL GOES EAST OF JORDAN

Extends Palestine Control Beyond the Dead Sea

JEFFERSON, Aug. 23.—(By Mail.)—British administration has been extended to a considerable part of trans-Jordan territory, of which Es Salt, a town of about 12,000 inhabitants situated some twenty miles to the east of the Dead Sea is the chief center.

Sir Herbert Samuel, British High Commissioner for Palestine, has just returned from a tour through the territory where last representative Bedouin sheiks and notables received with enthusiasm the high commissioner's assurance that "Great Britain did not propose to bring their country within the present system of administration of Palestine, but would establish a separate administrative unit that would assuage the people to whom they belonged."

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The Arabs extended a cordial welcome to the British high commissioner, whom they entertained lavishly in primitive style.

In an address, Sir Herbert explained to the chiefs that since the French had fully established their influence in Damascus, it was only necessary to secure the Arab's agreement from the Damascene administration. Great Britain, he said, would help them to organize defense against attack from outside. Sir Herbert developed a program of road improvement, the building of schools and the provision of medical aid.

There would be, he promised, complete freedom of travel with Palestine, the people being given the right to do business with all other Islamic countries.

Lower rents—because we are downstairs; no credit losses—because we sell for cash; no fancy fixtures or expensive service charges—that is the reason we can offer such big values for the low prices that prevail here.

Miss Gertrude Phillips reports that

Exeter Girl Becomes Bride of Fresnan

VISALIA, Sept. 23.—Miss Linda A. Allard of Exeter became the bride of Alvin Newson of 2102 New Avenue, Fresno, at the court chambers of Judge J. E. Chase in the presence of Miss Della Allard, sister of the bride.

Mr. and Mrs. Newton left for Fresno this morning, where they will make their home.

SUCCESS JOTTINGS.

SUCCESS, Sept. 23.—With the close of the summer season at the beach and the approach of the coming term of school, camping back to the days seen by Mr. R. C. Sherrill, who has organized a several weeks' outfit in the vicinity of Monterey Beach, went home this morning. The Lutjens family of Porterville, who have been camping near the beach recently, home Saturday, and the Blackwells of Modesto, who have been enjoying a vacation in the out-of-doors, returned to their home yesterday morning. Mr. H. C. Hays had completed his vacation of his family and reported an unusually good yield this season.

W. E. Simpson of Porterville was out inspecting land holdings the first of the week.

WOODLAKE SCHOOL OPENS.

WOODLAKE, Sept. 23.—The Woodlake Union High School opened Monday morning with the highest attendance in the history of the institution. Leroy L. Cole, formerly of Exeter, is the principal in charge.

Mr. and Mrs. West Simpson are in town to witness the short visit with friends and relatives.

Walter Clegg and family were recent Porterville visitors.

Prunes and other fruit is still on the drying racks and promises to finish up the process in good shape.

A good yield of prunes was received this year.

J. H. Larson and family were recent motor visitors to the valley.

RIVERDALE TO CELEBRATE.

RIVERDALE, Sept. 23.—At a meeting of the citizens last Tuesday evening it was decided that Riverdale should celebrate Armistice Day, Nov. 11, in much the same way that it was celebrated last year, with games and parade and a big barbecue.

Armenians, Americans and Englishmen attended the celebration last year.

It is thought that this year's crowd will be much larger. The various committees are being appointed and it is intended to spare neither work nor money to make the celebration the best possible.

The Red Cross executive committee announced that the selection of a site for the coming year will be held in Armistice Day, when practically every member will be present.

Mrs. H. K. Ridgway, who has been in charge of "some weeks" at Palermo, where the family spent the summer, came home to Riverdale last week.

Miss Stella Wetham has returned from her vacation at Riverside, where she acted as bridesmaid at the wedding of a friend, and has resumed her position at the switch board of the local telephone exchange.

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You will find it greatly to your advantage to step down the few stairs that lead to this downstairs bargain store and big savings.

Felt Tams
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This is one of the new fads—and very popular! Felt tams are very becoming to the young ladies and girls and at this price all the popular styles and colors are shown.

MADE IN OIL RATES.

MARICOPA, Sept. 22.—Northern Oil Company, which operates a water utility in Maricopa in the region known as the "Sunset Oil Fields," was today authorized by the Railroad Commission to increase its rate per barrel from 2 cents a barrel to forty-two cents to 3 cents. It is estimated by the commission that this rate will produce sufficient revenue to meet annual charges of \$46,150. This includes a return of 8 per cent on an investment of \$111,522, a maintenance and operation expense of \$11,391 and \$2,337 replacement annually.

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Ousted Socialists to Tour New York State

NEW YORK, Sept. 23.—The socialist delegation ousted from the New York assembly will make a tour of the state with the hope of winning the nomination for enough socialist candidates "to take control out of the hands of the present bi-partisan reactionary clique." Morris Hillquit, party leader declared this afternoon.

she has thirty children in her first school this year, which is the largest number ever in the history of the school.

Rev. J. Sherill, who was for several years pastor of the United Brethren church "at this place" preached both morning and evening at the church last Sunday. Rev. Sherill has lost of friends here who are always glad to welcome him.

He is a student at Whittier College at the present session of conference held at Oakland he was transferred to Palms Los Angeles.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Maldaby of Fresno spent a few days in town this week.

BAKERSFIELD.

BAKERSFIELD, Sept. 23.—Senator Frank D. Phelan, after touring the Kern county oilfields today, addressed a large audience of ex-service men tonight at the American Legion on soldier legislation and the Japanese question. Senator Phelan

Commission Denies Permit For Freight

TAHARA, Sept. 23.—Plaster will not be allowed to operate as a common carrier of freight by auto between Fresno and Tulare, intermediate points, the railroad commission having denied his application for an operating permit. He has been operating as a common carrier of the auto since 1912, excepted to the local post office, Santa Fe and American Railway Express on the ground that they were giving adequate service.

SENATOR PHELAN TOURS OILFIELD

BAKERSFIELD, Sept. 23.—Senator Frank D. Phelan, after touring the Kern county oilfields today, ad-

Retired Ranchman Is Called in Tulare

VISALIA, Sept. 23.—Ed. J. Featherstone, a retired and well known rancher of this city, died at a local hospital last evening, following a recent operation. A native of Cleveland, Ohio, Mr. Featherstone came to this section eight years ago and purchased a ranch south of Goshen, where he conducted a dairy and general farming business from which he acquired a comfortable fortune, retiring from all business activities two years ago to live in Visalia.

Decades ago 7 years of age and employed as a waiter at the Hotel Franklin, he was instrumental in securing Dr. Jordan for the patriotic occasion.

Two bands held up a screened

United States mail truck here today and escaped in an automobile with mail valued by J. N. Hunter, postmaster, at from \$5,000 to \$10,000.

David Starr Jordan Armistice Day Orator

PORTERVILLE, Sept. 23.—Dr. David Starr Jordan, formerly at the head of Stanford University, has been secured as the principal speaker at the big Armistice Day celebration to be held here under the auspices of the local post of the American Legion. His subject will be "The Meaning of Democracy." Long known as one of America's foremost orators, Dr. Jordan is also a speaker of exceptional ability who speaks in an understanding and commanding manner.

He was one of the speakers at the meeting of the Legion in San Francisco at 9:15 A. M.

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--Miss Perky Peggy

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QUARANTINE LAW PRESTILENCE

An extremely important question of public right is about to be settled by a minor lawsuit in Berkeley. There was an epidemic of diphtheria in the Berkeley High School, which was controlled as well as possible by rigid quarantine and other public health measures. Students suffering from or exposed to the disease were naturally excluded from school, and under the quarantine regulations they were not permitted to return until they had ceased to be a menace to others. Unfortunately, in diphtheria, the period of danger to others is not definitely measured by the state of the patient's own health. In some cases the contagion ceases when the disease ceases, while in others it continues for a variable period thereafter. Some persons with a high personal immunity may even harbor the contagion and spread it to others without having been sick at all themselves. It is therefore impossible to determine by the stage of the patient's own recovery when he has reached the stage when it is safe to lift the quarantine and allow him to mingle with others. The only test is to touch his throat with a swab of clean cotton and test in a laboratory the germs found there. Of among them is the Klebsiella bacillus, and if a guinea pig exposed to this bacillus dies of the diphtheria, obviously the person from whose throat that germ came is not yet safe to be released from quarantine. The test of course can do no possible harm to the quarantined person, since it is a mere light touching of the throat with a piece of clean cotton, but naturally it should not be inflicted by violence. The Berkeley health authorities have merely refused to lift the quarantine except on a certificate that the throat has been tested and found safe. Seven children, acting, they said, under orders of their parents (and the parents, of course, actuated thereto by the Public School Protective League) who had not been tested and therefore can not be true to those who have risen to the plane of Truth. The capitals make all did are still under quarantine insisted on going to school and refused to leave when ordered. So they were formally arrested for violation of quarantine, and a test case will determine whether the quarantine laws of California, in time of public epidemic, can be enforced.

It is quite possible that no one of these seven children would be a danger to others if returned to school. The number of those who are dangerous, after a reasonable period, is less than one in seven, so there is no certainty that so small a number would include any dangerous carrier. But if the principle is recognized that the spreading of pestilence is a personal privilege above the law and beyond the control of government, then there can be no such thing as the protection of the public health in California. On matters under human control provision can be made for the dissenting minority. We do not compel conscientious objectors to fight, and we do not enforce prohibition on the use of vice in religious observance. We exempt churches and certain schools from taxation, and we allow old soldiers to peddle without a license. We allow E. W. T. to make speeches which the rest of us think foolish. All these things we can do, because they are for us to decide. But we can not decide that a diphtheria germ in the mouth of a Democrat is safe but in the mouth of a Democrat is dangerous. The germ decides that for itself, and its rule is that it is not respected of opinions, and that its penalty for honest error is death. We may respect the right of the honest objector to impose that penalty on himself, but we can not leave it to his opinion whether he shall impose it on others.

There is an organized political body in California, determined to establish it as a legal principle that public health regulations can not be enforced on those who do not believe in them. This small case in Berkeley may become the test of that principle. And that issue is nothing less than the question whether California can or can not be made a safe place to live in; whether the resources of civilization knowledge can or can not be made available for the protection of the people. On this question there can be no compromise. Public health is or is not a religious question. The right of dissent is or is not the same in the two. The right to enforce quarantine laws is or is not analogous to the right to enforce heresy laws. As a matter of jurisprudence, we can decide this question either way. But we can not alter the fact that deciding it one way will spread pestilence and deciding it the other way will safeguard the public health. The germs of disease will not compromise this question and therefore we dare not.

LEAGUE ALL RIGHT IF WE ARE

The only really serious objection to America joining the League of Nations is a criticism rather of the constitution of the United States than of the covenant of the League. Even without reservations, our membership in the League would be safe against the dangers that have been depicted, by reason of the requirement of unanimous consent for every action that could seriously concern us. Since we could not be bound without our consent, we need have no fear of being obligated to anything unwelcome. The only flaw in this argument is the possibility that we might have a representative who did not represent us, and who might bind us against our will. President Wilson, for instance, did go to Paris to represent America, after both the people and the Senate had refused him a vote of confidence, and he negotiated the treaty for the League of Nations after a sufficient number of Senators to "defeat" it had notified him that they would not ratify it. However correct or incorrect the President may have been in thinking he represented the real sentiments of the American people, he at least misrepresented the only expression of those sentiments which our governmental machinery made possible. And, since the covenant makes no provision for the manner of the appointment of our representative, if it at least conceivable that a President bent on war might appoint a delegate

who would commit us to war, even against the general will of the people and the expressed will of Congress. So runs the argument.

So far as the argument is true, it merely points out an imperfection of our own form of government. If the things depicted could happen, they could only happen because we can have a President who misrepresents the people, and he can appoint persons to act for the nation without the consent of Congress and contrary to the will of the people. This could not happen in any other of the principal powers in control of the League. It could scarcely happen in any of the minor ones. Everywhere else the government is responsible to parliament and parliament to the people. No representative of the nation can misrepresent the nation and still continue its representative. Only in America, and in such Spanish-American states as have too slavishly copied our model, is such a thing possible. And it is possible in our representation in the League of Nations, the fault is not in the League, but in ourselves.

Of course the remedy is the passage of a law (and a reservation to the treaty if necessary) providing for our government, in this respect, the responsibility which we ought to have in all other respects also. Let it be provided that no American representative to the League Council shall be appointed without the consent of the Senate, nor shall vote to commit the United States to war without the express authorization of Congress. Then we shall be safe, so far as the League is concerned. And a little self-examination, while safeguarding ourselves in this respect, may prepare us to realize that we need a more responsible government in all other respects also, for domestic as well as foreign affairs.

A TRIFLE MIXED

A Caruthers man charges several boys whom he had ordered off his ranch with shooting him. Physicians, on examination, find no gunshot wound, but he still insists that he was shot, and demands the arrest of the boys.

On the legal aspect of the case the police court will pass and we have no disposition to interfere. What we are interested in is its metaphysical aspects. For here is the obverse of an important doctrine. We are familiar with the contention that when a man seems to have been shot by what seems to be a gun, and when physicians report that they find what seems to be a wound and extract from it what seems to be a bullet, there is in truth no injury and no wound. For, since injury is metaphysically incompatible with Truth, it follows that it is practically inconsistent with truth. Not being True, it can not be given, and when physicians report that they find what seems to be a wound and extract from it what seems to be a bullet, there is in truth no injury and no wound. For, since injury is metaphysically incompatible with Truth, it follows that it is practically inconsistent with truth. Not being True, it can not be given, and when physicians report that they find what seems to be a wound and extract from it what seems to be a bullet, there is in truth no injury and no wound.

Now, if this argument demonstrates the non-existence of a wound which is there, why may not its converse demonstrate the existence of a wound which is not there? It is all a matter of mental impression, and this complainant certainly has the mental impression that he is shot. Against this impression is nothing except the mere fact that there are no wounds there and even this fact is established only by the testimony of physicians who certify that they find nothing. What has that to do with the case? More physicians, especially allopathic physicians, know nothing of the entities of metaphysicians. They are creatures of the senses, wedded to seeing, hearing and feeling. But Truth is thought. There, for truth is thought. And while a wound can not be thought, this one is evidently thought, for a man thinks it. Therefore, if not Truth, it is at least truth.

Q. E. D.

Therefore we suppose it follows that while there is no such thing as Man being Shot, this man was shot. And while a sublimated Police Court ought not to put the Boys in jail (there being no such place) judge briggs at least ought to put the boys in jail. Or is this what follows? We confess we are getting a trifle mixed. We know something of words as tools of thought, but we are a bit awkward in using letters for that purpose.

MORE THAN PREACHING NEEDED

Of all the befuddlement over the League of Nations, the most amusing is Senator Harding's suggestion that the nations of the world should get out of the present league, because they are in it selfishly, and should then join themselves into a new, one, unselfishly. Obviously, that would cure everything. We do not trust the motives of those who would be our associates if we went into the present league. But if they went into a new association, with only ideal and unselfish motives, and if we went in with the same motives, then, if we all worked unselfishly for a common ideal, we could all trust each other. Quite so!

We assume that Senator Harding does not mean anything quite so foolish. He merely says it, without knowing what he means. But if he is vaguely groping toward the thought that the world needs more idealism, why is he opposing President Wilson or his league? Certainly there could have been no finer idealism than President Wilson preached to the world, in formulating the league covenant in Europe and in seeking to get it adopted here. The idealism was perfect. The only criticism is on the failure to get it realized in practice. And until Senator Harding can suggest some more practical way of getting his idealism realized than merely preaching it, he has got nowhere. Certainly he is no better preacher than President Wilson, nor half so good. But it needs more than preaching. What it needs most of all is American example. And Senator Harding seems to be the last to be willing to lead in offering that.

Fresno's Yesterdays

Taken from the Files of the FRESNO REPUBLICAN

Forty Years Ago Today

David R. Brundt has been chosen receiver for the unsupervised term by Yosemite Lodge, No. 151, A. O. U. W. S. W. Henry is building a residence in the Scandinavian Colony. As soon as completed, he will take up his permanent residence there.

Twenty Years Ago Today

Rev. J. L. Walker of Los Angeles, syndicated missioner of the Cumberland Presbyterian church, is in town and will preach this morning and evening in the local denomination.

Ten Years Ago Today

In honor of the visit of one thousand Danes to Fresno during the first week of October, Grant Falkenberg, ex-trustee, a well known merchant, has composed a piano which he calls "Det Danske Broderensfunds Vejkommer."

HOW SUFFRAGE WAS RATIFIED**More Truth Than Poetry**

By James J. Montague

**NO PEP**

Far be it from us, who by nature are quiet
And little addicted to struggle or strife,
To pose as a flaming apostle of riot
Or advocate rows in political life.
But somehow, with haunting regret we remember
When candidates were not so flabby of spine,
But went on the stump from July till November
Arranging opponents as flies and swine.

With gentle remonstrance no speaker would dally.
They had fresh invectives to spring every night;
Vast crowds would attend a political rally
Because they were sure it would end in a fight.
A scion, accused of an improper action,
Did not say the charge put a strain on belief
But merrily to his own and his friends' satisfaction,
He labelled his rival a crook and a thief.

The issues were left for the papers to settle.
The candidates held them in utter disdain.
And after the muds of the pot-and-the-kettle,
They blackened each other throughout the campaign.

They listed all crimes that were ever committed
And swore their opponents had done the whole lot;
They vowed that the job for which best they were fitted
We mean the opponents—was stopping hot shot.

We manage campaigns in a kindlier fashion;

Our candidates argue with phrases polite;
They never would stoop to the language of passion,
And seldom do meetings break up in a fight.
They talk to the crowd as they would to a jury;
They never grow violent, Heaven forbid!
Or lash themselves into a lather of fury.

Yet somehow or other we wish that they did!



AND THEY DON'T NEED IT.

The speed-up campaign doesn't appear to avoide anybody, but drivers of automobiles.

WE NEVER LEARN.

Ship yards are closing all over the country. We are a good deal like Noah. We only build arks when we are terribly scared.

IT'S GETTING WEARISOME.

Babe Ruth is overdoing it. His home runs is only worth a two-line item on the sporting page now.

Find Hindu Guilty**Murder at Delta****PHELAN FAVORS CITRUS TARIFFE**

Editor Republican: Political campaign literature, including editorials in party newspapers and political platform talk, during presidential campaigns are usually unreliable and untrustful, and the campaign now seems to be no exception to the rule. One of the most brazen campaigns appeared in a recent issue of the San Francisco "Advertiser" and is to that effect that Senator Phelan is opposed to a tariff on citrus fruit. This is to have circulated, of course, in the hope that it may catch some votes among those who are interested in the citrus fruit industry of California. Now what is the truth in this matter of the tariff on citrus fruit? The tariff law of 1909, passed by a Republican congress and signed by President Taft, imposed a tariff of one cent per pound on oranges, grapefruit and other citrus fruit. The tariff law of 1913, known as the Underwood tariff, passed by a Democratic congress and signed by President Wilson, imposed a tariff of one and a half cents per pound on oranges, grapefruit and other citrus fruit. The tariff law of 1913 became the Underwood tariff took effect: March 1, 1914. The Republican party has had a good working majority in both houses of congress for nearly two years and no move has been made to change this law, and it is still in effect. During the time this law has been in effect, the citrus fruit industry has been wonderfully prosperous.

Senator Phelan is an extensive fruit grower in this state and is personally interested in the protection and promotion of the great fruit industry of California, and he can be relied upon to oppose any legislation tending to injure the fruit growers of the state.

E. W. HOLLAND,
Tulare, Calif., September 22nd.

Virg. Friend

Central Americans**Plan Labor Body**

MANIFESTO
SAN SALVADOR, Republic of Salvador, Sept. 23.—Formation of a Central American labor federation has been planned by delegates of the labor federations of Guatemala and Salvador, and labor bodies of other Central American states will be invited to become members.

300,000 Boys to Drill, New York

NEW YORK, Sept. 23.— Approximately 300,000 boys in New York state were required to register today under provisions of the state's military training law. The ages for registration are between 18 and 18 years work for three years.

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COUNCIL HEARS CAMP REPORT

Hope Permanent Site
For Scouts Will Be
Secured

Report was rendered by Scout Executive Henry L. Hopkins on the Boy Scout Camp held this summer at Lake Hume, when the executive committee of the Fresno council met in regular session yesterday noon at the Community Club. The report was success in every way, the scout executive stated, and while permanent location for summer camp is expected to be announced at the next meeting of the committee, the committee which has the location in charge only rendered a progress report at the meeting yesterday.

For the 15 days of the camp, the cost was only \$15 for each boy and this included transportation and board while in camp. Forty-eight boys attended and completed their tenderfoot tests--their second-class tests and three of their first class examinations. Thirty-four attended the tests, tenderfoot and while 11 passed for their second class examinations. 13 others took several of the tests and passed them on their road to second class status. The nine who did not make the first grade, took many of the tests and since returning home have completed the tests and appeared before the court of honor.

There was no sickness in camp, Hopkins reported, aside from the usual stomach maladies and Mrs. H. L. Hopkins attended in the capacity of nurse. W. E. Jauman acted as leader with Hopkins.

C. B. Jackson reported that the questionnaires for use in giving examinations would be ready for distribution in a short time. It was decided to take up in the headquarters the work of securing surplus army supplies for use by the troop. The local council has already taken up the problem of securing these goods with the congressmen from this district.

Scout executive Hopkins reported that there were now 10 troops of scouts with an approximate enrollment of 300, while a new group is soon to be added.

Present in the meeting yesterday were C. B. Jackson, assistant Scout Master; Carl Pfeifer, Scoutmaster; J. H. Schmidt, Jerome G. Cross, E. A. Walron, A. C. Wilson, Dr. R. K. Pennington, George E. Sharpe, H. Staples and Emil Gundelfinger.

Conley Successor Causes Conference

Dissatisfaction of Judge W. M. Conley, of Modesto, as a presidential elector from the Seventh District on their ticket was the cause of a general conference between the local Chamber of Commerce chairman and the leading business interests.

The satisfaction of "the possible withdrawal of the Modesto jurist on the legal ground that he could not hold two state offices" the Sacramento convention authorized its chairman, Davis S. Ewing, of this city, to fill any vacancies but it was thought a recommendation from the district might aid him in making his choice.

The names of several well known party workers were under consideration yesterday, but no recommendation resulted. Among those whose names were mentioned favorably were L. O. Stephens, Clark Jorgenson and Dr. L. Everts of this city; H. A. Justus and C. A. Barlow of Lodi; Charles C. Miller of Modesto, and Dr. M. B. Bell of Modesto.

Local leaders yesterday were guessing that Stephens, who is in the east, would be named in case he would accept, but those in whose hands the recommendation rests declined to make any forecasts.

Harris Bill Topic Brotherhood Meet

Members of the Brotherhood of the First Presbyterian Church will hold their first meeting of the fall season in the church basement next Tuesday evening at 6:30 o'clock.

Following a dinner to be served by the ladies of Mizpah Circle, a speaking program including talks by Rev. J. H. Knob and Secy. Mr. B. Harris, will include speakers who will discuss the necessity of the passage of the Harris enforcement act at the polls in November. C. E. Beaumont, president of the brotherhood, will preside.

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Every smartly dressed woman and girl wears a Shawlette sometime during the day or evening.

Just arrived--and priced at 1.25--are several pretty styles with belts and pockets. The Pekin and peacock blues, the browns and the pink tints of these are very rich.

At 14.75 are color combinations in stripes and plaids--these Shawlettes being finished with long wool fringe ends.

New!

Hand Bags

4.79

YOUTHFUL TRICOTINE FROCK.
A most attractive design for a semi-dressy frock is illustrated. It is developed in dark brown cretonne, the lines being especially youthful and the emblems effective. An elastic belt is used for the waistline, which appears on the skirt, belt and short sleeves. A bias-bound self-material matches the round neck. Medium size requires 3/4 yards of fabric material.
\$500 REWARD
Anyone giving information to capture and recovery of 30 sweat boxes Sultan raisins, Sept. 18, from Thos. Moynihan, vineyard in Long Flat Co.

Sterling Bar Pins

1.50

Three pretty styles--set with small white brilliants. Pins that will be pretty with the most delicate lingerie--or for wear with evening apparel.

Harbor Ribbons 50c

Silk taffeta with narrow satin stripes in floral designs--also plain moire ribbons in colors. Their right-ful price is really 65c.

Women will find these ribbons exquisite--also for sachet bags and other dainty novelties.

Child's Hose 39c

Our regular 50c. black ribbed stockings in 6 to 9 1/2 sizes--think what an economy it is to buy them at 39c! School children need so many pairs that buying by half-dozen pairs will prove a double economy!

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"Stout" Sizes! Men's Suits--45.00

Men of extra measure may forget their worries about Fall and Winter clothes! Radin & Kamp bring many high-grade suits of all-wool and of worsted--and these are now here. Extra stouts and extra large stouts; suits with conservative lines--wonderfully tailored -- correctly finished. Have your suit fitted here. Alterations free, remember.

Trousers, too, in "Stout" Sizes -- 10.00

Extra trousers for the stout man; he may wear up to 30 inch waist measure garments--we know that we can fit him correctly. All-worsted trousers--high-grade in every detail--10.00.

Men's Golf Shirts

2.25

Of fancy stripe percale are a number of high-grade golf shirts just received. With soft French cuffs and one pocket: 2.75 shirts priced by us at 2.25.

Men's Union Suits

2.50

Fleeced suits of medium weight--erru shade in 34 to 46 sizes. These are "Chalmers" suits--men know the quality and the kind!

2.50 Flour Boxes, 1.29

They'll hold 25 pounds--as much flour as the average housewife wants in the kitchen at one time! As illustrated--and specially priced--1.29.

1.50 Enamelled Double-Boilers, 1.19

Quite a saving on these very practical rice boilers of gray enameled ware--ask for one tomorrow in our Basement Store.

White China Plates

Plain white plates in a splendid range of sizes: 15c to 25c values--very special at 10c each. No phone or mail orders.

30c Cups and Saucers--factory seconds--12c.

10c each

Radin & Kamp

Now we're doing strong after 1920
Two and One Half Million for 1920



Girls' Fall Coats, 14.75

Comfy, warm coats embodying the style one sees in much higher priced models.

And every girl will adore the styles grouped at this very conservative price! There are coats that are belted all around--and coats that are semi-belted. Large pockets, snugly fitting collars, and fancy button trimmings--nothing is lacking to make them attractive for girls of 8 to 14 years of age.

Girls' Serge Dresses

7.98

Her Middies

4.98

Boys' Dress Shirts

4.98

Boys' Bluchers, 2.85

2.85

Boys' Scout Shoes --- 3.35

3.35

Men's Brown Dress Shoes--6.95

6.95

There are two styles at this price--an English, and a Hi-toe last--both fashionable. Both have light-weight, Goodyear soles. Good-looking shoes--from eyelets to toe; and in them a comfort that all men require.

Men's Army Shoes at 7.45

For the man who wants service that is extraordinary, and comfort that is beyond compare--these Army shoes were specially designed! They're made over the regulation Munson Army last with soft soles. All sizes--7.45.



Child's Bath Robes

2.98 and 3.48

Satin-bound robes in pink, tan, gray and navy combined with other colors.

The dearest little robes--tied with silk cords just like mother's or big sister's--imagine the joy of 4- to 6-year-kiddies at finding themselves wearing these about the bedroom just like grown-ups!

Fine Silks Underpriced

1.95

It is enough to make one gasp with astonishment--the values offered at this one price!

3.00 Chiffon Taffetas

The prettiest colors imaginable--and no many of them. The more subdued shades, tan and so when the silk is of extra quality--underpriced, isn't it time to buy in quantities for all-season needs?

3.00 Mesalines, Satins

Another great special leader in this unusual sale of high-grade silks. Most wanted colors, splendid quality--and now at a saving--1.95 yard.

3.00 Georgette Crepe

The 46-inch width--our best quality--and in the very shades you like best for street and evening wear. Special, 1.95 a yard.

3.75 Crepe de Chine

Women who plan to make daily silk lingerie, blouses and party frocks will do well to buy the crepe de chine for them now--at 1.95. The opportunity to save so much does not come every day.

Figured Georgette

The 46-inch width--qualities as rich as you have been buying at 3.50 to 4.50 a yard! In fact we consider them 3.50 and 4.50 georgettes--and women who buy now for afternoon dresses and luncheon blouses will be very wiser 1.95 a yard.

Economies of the Blanket Sale

6.69 Woolnap Blankets

4.98

A great special offering! Fine, 64x76-inch Nashua woolnap blankets in tan or gray; a choice line of these at 4.98!

45c Tennis Flannel—the 27-in. width

23c

Plain, light blue tennis flannel that has been selling right along at 45c! This is a very special leader in this great Sale--23c yard.

Beacon Indian Blankets, 8.98

Beacon Robe Blankets, 6.49

Beacon Traveling Rugs

at 9.25

St. Mary's Wool

Blankets 11.25

Nashua Sheet

Blankets at 3.09

Nashua Woolnap

Blankets 4.89

72x80-inch Woolnap

Blankets 5.98

45c Tennis Flannel, 31c

31c Cheviot Shirting, 25c

HALF MILLION RECENT SALES

Delano Ranch Sold For \$120,000 by Action

Brokerage Co:

Sales of vineyard and city property valued at more than half a million dollars, according to the Action Brokerage Co., are included in a report of recent business at that concern. The largest single sale was 60 acres in the Delano district, which was sold by G. L. Holton to Satrikan Bros., the price announced being \$120,000.

The complete list announced by the brokerage follows:

160 acres, Cottonwood Creek—Wm. D. Clark to Erich Berndt, \$1,000.

13 acres, Dudley district—C. Jauye to Leon Shabahian, \$12,000.

16 acres, Kedney district—Campbell to Erich Berndt, \$50,000.

19 acres, Seuma district—J. M. Berry to Peter Giambellini, \$42,000.

49 acres, Bishop district—Henry Myerson to Erich Berndt, \$15,000.

28 acres, Fresno Colony—M. J. Baldwin to M. M. Marlin, \$28,000.

50 acres, Madera County—Canalots & Hendricks to M. D. S. Tashjian, \$12,000.

10 acres, Saucier district—T. Kizilian to Moridin, \$15,000.

22 acres, Belding city district—Mary Daggett to Bertie Smith, \$14,000.

49 acres, Charters district—Mary Daggett to Erich Berndt, \$11,500.

4 acres, Barndt Park—Sander-Erich Berndt to A. L. Brunner, \$10,000.

Bungalow, Alta Vista—A. V. Smith to Dr. Theo. Madelin, \$10,000.

Business corner, Blackstone ave.—E. E. Ebeling to Mrs. Hedwig Polden, \$3,700.

Bungalow, Del Mar—G. M. Oliver to Arthur Hansen, \$15,000.

Cottage, San Pablo ave.—from Mayes to Marion Sammelin, \$1,500.

Cottage, Washington ave.—Elmer to Elsie F. Keury, \$1,000.

Cottage, Washington ave.—P. Svahnson to J. McTeed, \$3,000.

Bungalow, Patterson ave.—John Morse to J. Miller, \$5,000.

Bungalow, San Pablo ave.—Peter to Chas. Ramm, \$10,000.

One acre—Berndt Park—Erich Berndt to Frank E. Mayo, \$1,500.

One acre—Berndt Park—Erich Berndt to J. N. Evans, \$2,500.

One acre—Berndt Park—Erich Berndt to M. H. Scott, \$2,500.

One acre—Berndt Park—Erich Berndt to Paul Miller, \$2,500.

One acre—Berndt Park—Erich Berndt to Chas. H. Wohleber, \$2,500.

Two acres—Berndt Park—Erich Berndt to G. B. Greening, \$3,000.

One acre—Berndt Park—Erich Berndt to L. E. Thompson, \$2,500.

Long. Bungalow, ave.—Emma E. Stevenson to Ellis, \$150.

Cottage, Tyler ave.—Caroline Stevenson to W. H. Radley, \$2,700.

Total sales, \$374,450,00.

STAGE STATION ONE OF FINEST

Completion of Building Gives Fresno Unrivaled Facilities

Fresno owns what many persons consider the finest stage depot on the Pacific coast in the new building just completed at 3 and Mono streets.

An inspection of the building shows that it is designed and constructed not only with a very practical understanding of transportation problems, but that the architects, Swartz & Ryland, have combined with utility a very effective and striking architectural scheme.

The building, which is 150 feet square, is designed along Italian renaissance lines. It contains a waiting room, 30 by 60 feet, with a tile border and terrazzo floor. Every convenience and comfort for the passenger is installed.

Stages will load and unload in slips similar to vessels' loading and discharging at wharves.

Three ticket windows will provide ample accommodations for handling crowds in a rush, such as holidays. The public will pass through a set of doors, the passengers for the stages passing through one set of doors, the waiting stages, and those who have just left the stage passing out through another set.

In the waiting rooms double deck, comfortable seats have been provided.

On the mezzanine floor handsome quarters are provided for the directors of the stage company.

Herald Donates \$200 to Fire Department

In recognition of the efficient work of the Fresno fire department at their recent fire, the publishers of the Fresno Herald yesterday sent a check for \$200 to the department to be deposited to the Firemen's Benefit fund. With the check was a letter praising the men for their good work.

WEEK'S CLEARINGS SHOW GAIN

Bank clearings for the week ending yesterday showed a gain of \$912,555 against the same week of last year. For this week the total was \$6,218,239 against \$5,305,651 for the same week of last year.

POLICE COURT NOTES

Edward Only charged with violating the city plumbing ordinance pleaded not guilty before Judge Ortego and was released on his personal recognizance. The case will be tried during the coming week.

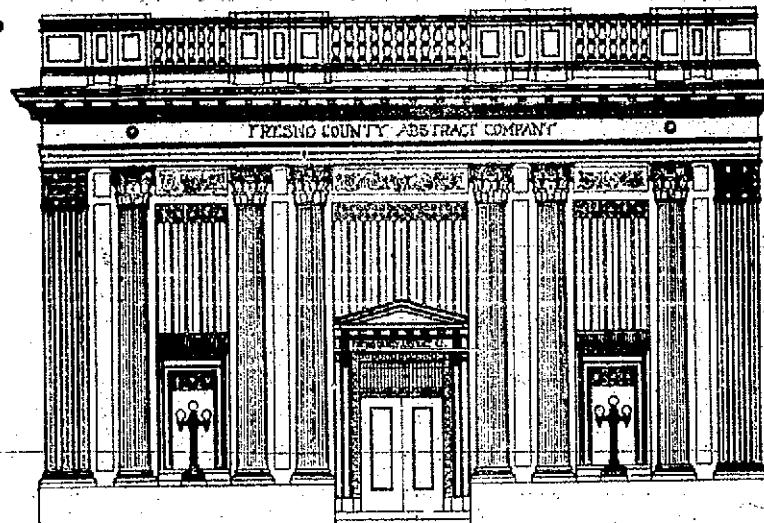
Preliminary hearing of the case of Mr. Becker and Joe Estelle, charged with felonies, was set yesterday for Thursday, September 20.

The following were arrested for violating city and state motor vehicle laws yesterday: M. Amerian, Tom Hickey, George E. Stetson, H. P. Wirth, Hartnett Hulstien, J. L. Boone, Joe Jenkins, E. C. Stevens, D. Talmy, William Steinbauer, A. R. Skarp, P. K. Warkentin, L. Burch and L. Winding.

Six persons were fined \$2 each yesterday for violating the city parking ordinance; three were given suspended sentences for speeding and three were fined \$10 for the same offense.

B. Nishiyama, who was arrested by Sheriff Jones for violating the state motor vehicle laws, pleaded guilty before Judge Graham yesterday and was fined \$25.

PROPOSED HOME ABSTRACT COMPANY



A sketch of the proposed home of the Fresno County Abstract Co. was completed yesterday in the offices of Eugene Mathewson. The Abstract Co. is to build on J st east, on the site now occupied by two stores, Parsons' Flower Store and Olney & Johnson. The building will occupy a ground space of 150 by 42 feet.

Mrs. Lydia Leonard Summoned By Death

Lydia Leonard, wife of Joseph Leonard, died yesterday at a local sanitarium following a prolonged illness. She was 22 years of age and a native of Illinois. She leaves besides her husband, four children, Joseph, Gertrude, Mary and Irene Leonard. Funeral arrangements will be announced later by Stephens & Dean.

Hold Funeral of Mrs. A. V. Flood

Funeral services were held yesterday for Mrs. Anna V. Flood of 1311 Fresno street, who died at a local institution Wednesday. The serv-

ices were held at the Chapel of Stephens & Dean and were conducted by Rev. John Freeman Mills. Mrs. F. Connolly was reader and Miss Leah Thomas organist. Interment took place in Mountain View cemetery.

SUPERIOR COURT NOTES

The First National Bank of Kern City yesterday brought a foreclosure action against C. H. Myers et al on a promissory note for \$1,000 executed on March 15, 1919, a part of which has been paid.

Three divorce contestants were held yesterday by Christ Christensen vs. Leslie Christensen, Esther P. Anderson vs. Fred Anderson and Mary E. Emery vs. William E. Emery.

Edmonia Flego, a grocer, was yesterday made the defendant in an action for specific performance of a raisin delivery contract brought by the California Associated Raisin Company.

D. Jelcich Arrested on Battery Charge

Dominion Jelcich was arrested yesterday by the police on a warrant charging battery. The arrested man is accused of having assaulted Andrew Shavish during an altercation. He was released on his own recognizance.

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Pair Held, \$2000 Bonds, Arraignment

Henry Schmidler and Katherine Stilner were arraigned yesterday and held under \$2,000 bonds each. The preliminary hearing was set for next Monday afternoon. The pair are charged with adultery.

FORKNER HOME RESTAURANT ON SOLD TO RUDY J, COST \$50,000

Activity Noticeable Last Few Days, Says Realty Concern

The J. C. Forkner home at 1 and San Joaquin Street, sold this week for approximately \$17,000 to H. V. Rudy. The property has a frontage on L. street of 40 feet and includes an eleven room residence. Mr. Forkner will move to his new home in the Forkner Fig Gardens in about two weeks.

According to Hutchinson Swartz, through whom the sale was made, there is a noticeable change in the real estate market within the last few days. During the past week there has been a very active exchange of business and sales, and the fall business is apparently now open.

Thomas McKnight, formerly with the Schellenbach Fruit Company, sold his home on Balch Avenue to H. J. Reed, recent manager of the Singer Sewing Machine Co. McKnight with his family has moved to Los Angeles.

The Peter Investment Company sold a new bungalow on Illinois Avenue to Gen. W. M. Miller, Captain of Engine No. 4 of the Fresno Fire Department.

G. N. Nuzer of the Lincoln Motor Co. sold to Mrs. Walter D. Sherwood a 3-room bungalow on Illinois Ave. A modern bungalow located on Main Avenue was sold by H. M. King to Vernon Hunter.

J. W. Schelling bought of Dale S. Anderson of San Francisco a 3-room bungalow located on Grant Avenue.

L. L. David sold to David W. Stompsomy a modern home on Nichols Avenue.

Henry Moen purchased of Maxine Twilford a building site on Petaluma Way and expects to begin once the construction of a bungalow home on the property.

Big Expense for Remodeling, Says Contracting Firm

Indications of a renewal of building activity in the business district with the fall months too definite to ignore with the announcement yesterday of plans for the remodeling of a J street building into a restaurant at an expenditure of \$50,000. According to Frederick Bentz, who are to do the construction work on the building, a lease will be signed within a few days for a period of ten years, with the payment of rental by the lessee for another ten years.

Plans which have been approved, according to principal, will make this the peer of any restaurant in the state, but surpassed in interior decorations by anything in Los Angeles or San Francisco.

With the signing of the lease within the next few days the location of the new restaurant will be announced.

IMPROVE TURLOCK HOTEL

The Carolyn hotel at Turlock is to be remodeled according to plans being prepared in the office of Swartz & Ryland for Emerian Bros., the owners.

Improvements to the building include a very handsome entrance, installation of marble washrooms, and remodeling of the entire building.

It is planned to add a story to the building about next January.

HANDSOME HOME FOR NOROFAN

Permit for the home of George Norofan to be built, at a cost of \$20,000, at the corner of Ventura and Orange, was issued yesterday by the city building inspector. According to plans by H. S. Thompson, the building will be two stories and below two stories, designed along English country residence lines.

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COME IN AND BUY A LOAF OF FIG BREAD TODAY. YOU WILL WANT IT AGAIN AND AGAIN.

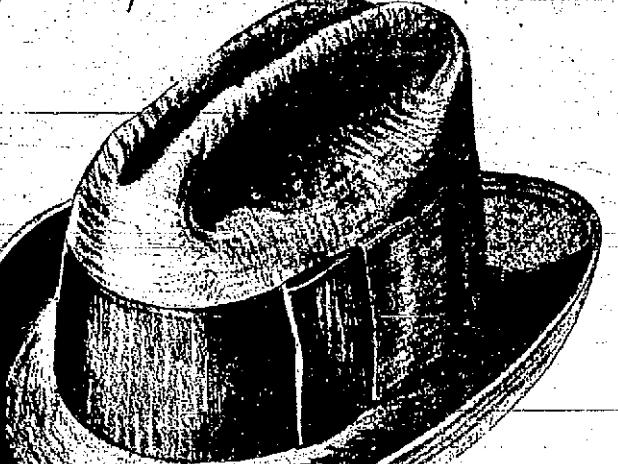
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This is one of a series of advertisements by Sherman, Clay & Co., Wholesale, in the interests of the dealers who believe and specialize in the VICTROLA product.

HANFORD GAS RATES RAISED

Commission Allows An Increase Due to Advanced Costs

HANFORD, Sept. 23.—Increased cost of labor, materials and supplies, particularly oil, make it necessary for the Hanford Gas & Power Company to charge a higher rate for gas, holds the Railroad Commission in an opinion handed down today granting the utility authority to increase its charges. Since the rates now being charged were fixed in 1918, gas has advanced 7 per cent. The commission estimates that the present rate for the year ending August 31, 1921, would produce a revenue of \$45,650. The operating expenses will amount to \$45,316, leaving only \$340 for depreciation and return. Here are the new rates per month, the old charges being shown in parentheses:

First 500 cubic feet, \$1.25 (\$1.00)
Next 250 cu. ft., \$2.00 per M (\$1.80)
Next 500 cu. ft., \$3.00 per M (\$1.70)
Next 750 cu. ft., \$3.75 per M (\$1.80)
Next 1500 cu. ft., \$4.10 per M (\$1.80)

Alpaugh Resident Walks Into Jail to Serve His Sentence

VISALIA, Sept. 23.—C. L. Graham of Alpaugh walked into the county jail last night and surrendered himself to the custody of the sheriff to serve a six months' sentence imposed upon him by Judge Allen last December after he had been convicted by a jury of a charge of stealing hogs from the Shilman ranch at Alpaugh in June, 1918.

Following his conviction, the case was appealed to the supreme court which in a decision just rendered affirmed that of the lower court.

A poor journey of the defendant again gave him time up to protest his conviction and begin his sentence.

Presbyterians Plan For Big Rally Day

WOLVERINE, Sept. 23.—Effort is being made by all interested to insure Sunday's Bed Letter Day at the First Presbyterian Church, the occasion being Rally day in all departments. The Sunday school will have charge of the 11 o'clock hour, the great theme being "Christian Americanization of the Foreign Population of the United States."

Special music is being prepared for this occasion and the orchestra will lead the evening service. There will be a collection instead of a bed letter. The church choir will sing "Americanization" in the theme.

Mrs. W. G. McInnis is recent arrival in Fowler from Bakersfield and are located at the Christian Parsonage. Mr. McInnis held responsible position in the First National Bank of Visalia, a suburb of Oakland, for a number of years and has now occupied a place in a local bank. Before her recent marriage Mrs. McInnis was Miss Louise Keep of San Diego. Both Mr. and Mrs. McInnis are graduates of the University of California.

C. J. Peterson has just received word that his son, Carl, Mrs. Peterson of New York City, has already purchased their tickets and are ready to start on their journey westward. They will make stops at Niagara and Grand Canyon and spend a week visiting friends in Los Angeles before arriving in Fowler about three weeks hence.

They expect to make their home with Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Ferguson and other members of the family who have recently arrived from New York city.

Patterson Plants Will Begin on Emperors

Stockton, Calif., Sept. 23.—The local

rock house, expect to begin planting emperors the last of this month. According to the report of Patterson, the crop is not so heavy this year, but just west it was necessary to return to the city for medical treatment again.

Edwin Conklin, left yesterday for Durango, Colorado, for an indefinite stay. While away he will also spend some time in various relatives in Missouri and Iowa with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Misenhagen and Mr. and Mrs. Orval Presley of Reedley, were recent visitors at the residence of Mrs. Harriet Lissner, mother of town.

Miss Silvia Moser is slowly recovering from a recent serious illness.

Child of Lemon Cove Residents Is Dead

LEMON COVE, Sept. 23.—Word was received here today of the death of Lawrence Atwood, a boy

and son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank L. Atwood, which occurred last night at Fresno Beach. The family left here last week accompanied by Mr. Atwood's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Atwood, for a few weeks' vacation at the coast, where the little fel-

low contracted pneumonia, little is known here of the illness, and no funeral arrangements have been made. The body was shipped today from Fresno, and the family is expected to arrive home this evening.

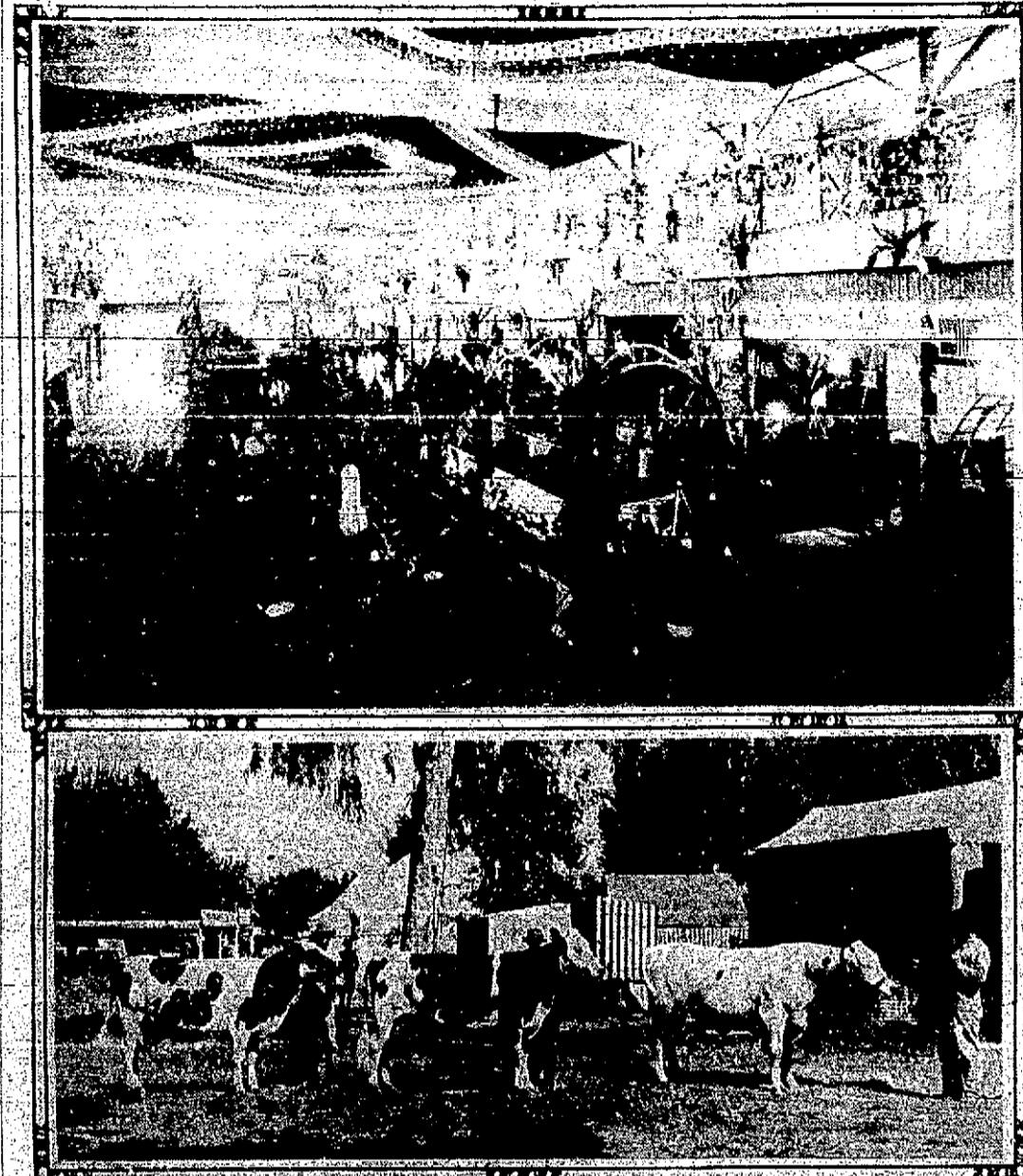
Donald was the youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Atwood, there being one other child, Lawrence.

He had no distinct distinction of being the youngest member of the Lemon Cove Red Cross society. His father having subscribed his name when he was but a few hours old. The family have the sympathy of the entire community in their bereavement.

RETURN FROM EXTENDED TRIP

VISALIA, Sept. 23.—Dr. and Mrs. C. M. White returned home last evening after an absence of six weeks during which they traveled through the Northwest, going as far as Victoria, B. C., taking in all the national parks and large cities of the Pacific coast.

KINGS COUNTY'S SEVENTEENTH ANNUAL FAIR SHOWS SPLENDID EXHIBITS OF ITS RESOURCES



Upper—Exhibits of agricultural products in pavilion—Grangeville booth in foreground. Lower—Holstein cattle shown at Fair from herd of J. W. Arthur of Hanford. Prince Korndyke Geische Walker herd is in foreground.

By ROBERT H. NICOL

The seventeenth annual fair, now in progress in the "Little Kingdom of Kings," convinces the visitors that there are some agricultural exhibits which are more than just show pieces. When one enters the gates he is first attracted to the pavilion, which is filled with exhibits of all kinds.

The first thing to attract attention is the "Little Kingdom of Kings" booth, which is in charge of Mrs. J. S. Burts, Mrs. E. Trouton and Mr. S. McDowell.

Next in wonder are the beautiful quilts and coverings. There are specimens in old fashioned designs and new fashioned quilts in the more modern artistic work. And the silk crazy quilts in all the beauty of our art mother's days, side by side with the new style quilts of today. A hand-woven quilt made of the same cloth as the quilt of Queen Elizabeth, which consists of cotton, pumpkins, and a number of fruit known to the valley and a new plant, known as the potato plant, with samples of jelly made from it. Arthur's own first prize for his exhibit of farm products.

Grangeville's booth was presented by Mr. Conklin, representing an organization created with milk mats and gauze, corn and vegetables, arches of sugar cane, and a table filled with every variety of the products of this section, including all varieties of grapes, peaches, quinces, dried fruits and vegetables displayed on a table, and among them the largest living plants seen anywhere. Grangeville is located against the Sierra mountains, so the flowers are very attractive.

Onalake located against the Sierra mountains, had in its booth some storms to show where the place is located. There monster suns, sunflowers, alfalfa, cotton, berries, elephant squash and pumpkins, quinces and cotton go to make a fine display. This booth won first prize.

The Island has an attractive exhibit, in which Today grapes, fine fruit, Davis apples and corn predominates.

There are many other booths in the pavilion, notably among which are those of the Lemoore high school, where the work of the domestic science and manual training classes is exhibited; the very fine photographic construction class; the embroidery booth, there is every kind of embroidery from the tablecloth to the tiny doll.

Arthur's booth embraces many varied articles. There is a big hand-painted picture of a girl wearing a wonderful head of hair. Most everything is shown by the little girls from hand-painted pictures to glass of jelly. The booth is in charge of Mrs. Ruby Relphord and Miss Grace Relphord.

In the white embroidery booth there is every kind of embroidery from the tablecloth to the tiny doll. Arthur's booth is in charge of Miss Grace Taylor, who has charge of this booth.

The knitting booth is unique and those of the Lemoore high school, where the work of the domestic science and manual training classes is exhibited.

Blanford's Board of Trade and the county Chamber of Commerce both have displays showing the great possibilities of agriculture and especially the new crop of cotton which is fast coming to the front in the county.

Lemoore has a good showing of products of the section around the lake. There are the various items with which the section is famous, for grapes, papaya, melons and pumpkins and bell peppers in great variety.

Perhaps the most artistic booth is that of Delta View, arranged in nests, a huge bouquet of roses indicating that the bushes planted in the Delta View display belong to the rich profusion of blossoms in the Delta View display. The booth is in charge of Mrs. J. C. C. Russell and Miss Mercedes Russell. This is the new crop of cotton which is fast coming to the front in the county.

There is a large department devoted to experimental displays on one side of the pavilion, while on the other is the automobile display in a department by itself.

Woman's Department

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. C. Russell, managers of the woman's department in the pavilion, is assisted by Mrs. A. G. Yost, Mrs. Mollie Allis, Mary Clark, Mrs. George Roberta, Isadore, Mrs. Freda Nichols, Mrs. Nellie Hubbard and Mrs. Anna Kendall, Hardwick, Kern county.

PERMITS SPUR TRACK

RUTTENWILLOW, Sept. 23.—The Southern Pacific was today authorized by the railroad commission to build a spur track at grade across a county road near Battenwillow.

The county exhibits are in charge of the following committees: Arthur, Mrs. William Shattock, Mrs. Hazel Taylor, Lemoore, Mrs. H. L. Johnson, Lemoore, Mrs. H. K. Kurtz, Mrs. Holtzman, Mrs. E. E. Stepp, Grangeville, Mrs. Ernest Pickrell, Mrs. Ethel Faulkner and Mrs. Bert Blowers, Kings River; Mrs. George Roberta, Isadore, Mrs. Freda Nichols, Mrs. Nellie Hubbard and Mrs. Anna Kendall, Hardwick, Kern county.

PLAN BIG TIME ARMISTICE DAY

Modestans Arranging For Golden Jubilee on November 11

MODESTO, Sept. 23.—The Golden Jubilee and Armistice Day celebration on November 11 will be a one-day celebration but on that day will be crowded the greatest attractions for entertainment that Modesto has ever brought together. It was announced last night by the committee in charge of the event.

The day will start out with a pageant parade that will be participated in by not only the local lodges, associations and business houses but entries from all parts of the country and outside, with all the businesses which will mark the event. Parade and band-stands of cowboy have been practically named for the parade and the big rodeo in the afternoon. To vie with the Miss boys in the afternoon will be the dedication of the new municipal flying field by a host of army flyers and Modesto's own pilot, Harold "Bud" Coffey.

While thousands are witnessing the new marvels the more sporty part of the crowd will go on the Reds Park and there witness a game between the All-Star National League team and either Buck Weaver's all-American team or the home team with Cyclone Ty Cobb playing center field as the attraction on the other team.

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Money for this huge program is to the extent of \$15,000 to \$18,000 will be donated by local merchants and civic and lodges. Already, sums ranging from \$100 down have been donated without any solicitation. The finance committee in charge of chairman, George Treas, will start out next week in a well organized plan to gather the dollars in the fund. Already \$3000 is in the treasury of the project absolutely secure, and is a reward for the faithful members of the little church who have given so hard to build a church home that is now under course of construction.

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